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MISS NEW ZEALAND

The Sioux Gardens

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In presenting our 1935 list we wish to assure both our old and new customers that all stock of foreign origination, that we are herein offering, is grown in the far north, possibly one of the coldest portions of the U. S. outside of the higher altitudes or mountainous areas of the far west where commercial growing of gladiolus is not thought of.

Our winters are long and cold and the ground is frozen to a depth of many feet which eliminates the pests and insects that will live over winter in the warmer climates to the south of us.

Our summers are rather short in number of days but are longer than elsewhere in number of hours of sunshine and daylight, so this extends our total time of growing season well along to compare favorably with other sections where commercial growing is practiced. As a result of the above conditions, we do not hesitate in recommending to you varieties that do well here no matter where they were originated.

Our northern grown stock will have certain qualities incorporated in the bulbs that will bring out the finest colors that no southern grown stock can boast of. We do not claim that this is a lasting quality over a period of years but the first year will show a definite quality of color that can only be reproduced by stock also grown in the north.

Many visitors at our plantings from the south and east and west marvel at the intensity of colors of our northern grown stock and this likely accounts for the many comments of our friends who visit the shows through the east and south and return only to state that the shows are fine but the colors of their favorites do not compare with our own northern grown varieties.

We wish to thank our old customers and will assure them of the same liberal treatment in the future that they have enjoyed in the past, this also applies to new customers that may buy from us this season.

A NEW SERVICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

According to the rules and regulations of the National Gladiolus Society no new variety may be exhibited in competition at any National, Sectional, or State society show that is affiliated with the National Society, unless the same is duly registered with the National Society.

In order to get the newer ones into competition as soon as is possible we will agree to register some of the newer originations with the National society to enable you to exhibit, at will, at all shows. There will be no added expense to you but all we ask is that you have purchased a reasonable size order from us in the past.

We can assure you that many of the newer imported varieties will hold their own in competition with our domestic varieties and will forge to the front at the expense of the older ones that we see year after year and many of the older ones will have to be satisfied with laurels already won in the past. This service is being extended to our customers primarily to determine the worth of the foreign varieties as compared with our new ones here and to lay low some of the propaganda of a few of the commercial growers, who have in the near past, belittled many of the finer foreign origina-

tions to their customers. We only ask that you notify us in plenty of time to make our arrangements with the National Society in order to get these registered.

PRICES, DISCOUNTS, OVERCOUNT, QUALITY AND DISEASE FREE STOCK

Taking into consideration the fact that most of our stock is being propagated from direct importations from the foreign originators and that no stock may be offered for sale under two years of growing time here in U. S. together with the duty into this country, the prices stay up over a longer period of time than those of our domestic varieties, making it impossible to quote on very large amounts at wholesale prices until stock has increased to sufficient amounts to enable one to quote prices that will not simply be trading dollars in order to make a sale. Many prices being quoted this season here are lower than prices being quoted by the originators in their home markets. This state of affairs does not seem reasonable to insure true healthy stock, but this being the case many other catalogers fall right into line and state they will meet the prices of all comers. Just remember that price of a few cents on many of these fine varieties does not mean so much when quality of bulbs and fair treatment are taken into consideration in making out your orders.

On orders of fair size from retail trade we will make worth while reductions wherever it is possible by adding extras and overcount and we wish that you would just leave that to us and we do want you to state if there are some varieties that you are interested in and we will do our best to help you out if we have sufficient stock in these particular ones.

To growers entitled to wholesale prices, catalogers and professionals, we will cooperate with you to the extent that you are willing to cooperate with us.

All of our stock was treated with bi-chloride of mercury at planting time, no lye solutions were used, we have no need of spraying this season as no thrip appeared in our plantings according to our federal inspectors so we can assure you of good healthy clean stock that is true to name as far as is possible to have the same. Though a mistake be made we will willingly correct the same with replacements with the average increase of bulblets.

We will not guarantee the germination of our bulblet stock but will see that you get fine plump bulblets to start with and you will have to do the rest to bring them on. Practically all of our stock being offered was raised under overhead irrigation this season which was necessary due to the severe weather conditions here in the middle west, the result of the irrigation was most gratifying but we have found that our bulblet production has been cut down as compared to former years so many varieties we will not list in bulblet size to enable us to increase our stock that we sold down rather low on last season.

TREAT ALL STOCK BEFORE PLANTING

This does not refer to our stock alone but to every bulb you plant no matter where you buy or if you grew it yourself.

The Bi-chloride of mercury seems to have the most favorable reports where stocks are stored in fairly warm basements.

One ounce of powder to six gallons water in a non-metal container. Dissolve powder in cup of hot water

and place in solution which should be at a temperature of about 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Soak from 8 to 12 hours just before planting but not before splitting bulbs or cutting out diseased spots as you should do this after treatment and then dust well with sulphur just before bulb goes into the ground.

This treatment will slow up the blooming time to a certain extent but insures fine healthy growth of bulbs and foliage. **This solution is poisonous so handle with care.**

HOT WATER TREATMENT

U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that this treatment will kill all adult thrip and larvae and eggs so should be nearly a 100% kill.

Place bulbs in cloth sacks and immerse for 20 minutes in water held at 112—120 degrees Fahrenheit. This treatment will step up your blooming season several days but will not correct in any way the regular diseases of the bulbs. It is for thrip alone. Dip just before planting.

JOIN ONE OR MORE GLADIOLUS SOCIETIES DO IT NOW.

The American Gladiolus Society with officers at Goshen, Ind., Roscoe Huff, Secretary, is the largest gladiolus society in the U. S. and is deserving of your support. The dues are two dollars per year and you get the Review each month of the year. We have found that the officers of this society are quite willing to cooperate with every member in all our problems and the Review will give you information from all over the world where gladiolus are grown.

Join your State and Regional societies where your shows will be held and help to put on these shows by exhibiting some of those that you tell your friends were as good as you saw at the last show. Independent societies such as the New England and Greater Detroit are doing fine work and your support will be appreciated.

N. E. Gladiolus Society \$1.00, C. W. Brown, Sec'y, Ashland, Mass. Greater Detroit Gladiolus Society \$1.00 Adam Steinhauer, Secretary, 2995 Eastlawn Ave., Detroit, Mich.

OUR CHICAGO PLANTING

The Florists Review reported that our planting headed the list with newer novelties shown. We had seventy imported varieties on exhibition at this planting sponsored by the A. G. S. and the many favorable reports we have received have been very gratifying. Just a few that we want to mention of the many reported on are D. A. Hay, Southern Cross, Corangamite, Irene, John Ramsay, Maid of Orleans, Mr. W. Cuthbertson, Noel Reeve, Nellie Hewitson, Kingsford Smith, Mrs. Whiteley, Tawhaki, St. Cuthbert, Tom Small, Sussex, Kyle, Lucifer, Lisbeth and many more that were in continuous bloom throughout the season.

Shipping instructions, permits, foreign orders, wholesale prices etc., at back of list, Page 15. Read carefully before ordering.

FOUR NEW VARIETIES FROM DOWN UNDER THAT ARE CONSISTENT WINNERS ON THE SHOW BENCH.

MAUNGA (P. Burns, N. Z.) This variety comes from the originator of Takina and is likely the largest pure white being offered today. The blooms are well rounded and wide open on a long flower head and with the growth well over fifty inches, together with its good growing habits places this giant white well toward the 100% white we have been waiting for. Champion bloom at many New Zealand shows an Award of Merit at Canterbury Gladiolus Society 1934. Large \$10.00; Bulblets \$1.50.

MISS NEW ZEALAND (Miss Julyan, N. Z.) The most widely discussed variety today among glad fans, no question this is the forerunner of a new mammoth type and well deserves all good reports being published in its favor. Exceptionally tall, healthy grower with straight spike that stands up fine during our hot seasons and has the ability to come right back after a hot spell when many others will be through. Florets are of excellent substance and lasting qualities which makes it ideal for cutting as the blooms will open to the last bud, the twenty-first bloom measured five and one half inches on a spike we examined last season. The color is apricot salmon suffused with rose with a distinctive peach throat blotch making a very pleasing color combination. This variety has won all the major awards possible in New Zealand and Australia at the different test gardens and shows and we predict that Miss New Zealand will keep right on winning wherever exhibited for many years to come. Large \$20.00; Bulblets \$2.00.

TAKINA (Burns, N. Z.) Another mammoth variety that will put up exceptional growth, some growers report that it will exceed Miss New Zealand in length of spike and stem and in size of bloom. Number open will be about the same in both varieties, up to nine or ten is not exceptional. Color is classed as rosoline purple but comparing it with some we are familiar with, closely resembles King Arthur and Dr. Gladys Montgomery in color as bloomed in our garden this past season. Bulblets only for sale Each \$2.50.

WHERO (Burns, N. Z.) A new rich glossy appearing scarlet red that is reported to be the best red today, not quite so tall as Maunga but will compare well with Picardy in growth, ten to twelve large blooms, of excellent substance, open at one time places this variety well toward the front as an exhibition red. Large only \$10.00 each.

Due to the small amounts of the above varieties offered for sale in this country we are forced to make our prices NET on all the above varieties. No discounts and no quantity rate, so kindly do not ask for the same. We do not expect to meet other growers prices on any of this stock but are offering you good quality stock subject to supply and fair dealing.

FORTY OF THE NEWER FOREIGN VARIETIES THAT WE CAN RECOMMEND VERY HIGHLY.

AMAZON (Gilrey, A.) Fine growing tall lavender pink with white throat. 8 to 10 large rounded florets open on twenty bud spike, will do the best in cool weather. **L-75c, M-50c, S-25c, B-3 for 20c.**

BERICE (Whiteley, N. Z.) New outstanding variety from down under, color is rose pink, ivory throat and large crimson blotch. 8 to 10 large round florets open on tall straight spike-early midseason. Will fill in the rose section nicely. Placement and substance excellent. **L-\$3.00, M-\$2.00.**

CAESAR (Roozan-DeGroot, Ger.) Flat type that sets up well to spike, salmon pink with carmine blotch-petals slightly ruffled. We have found this about the best of the lot sent out in recent years by this firm. Excellent grower and propagator, triumph type but easy to grow and excellent for hybridizing. **L-60c, M-40c, S-30c.**

CHRISTINE (Mair, S.) One of Mair's choice new ones, color is light fleshy rose slightly flecked darker with white blotch, spike and flowers more robust than Mairs average, healthy vigorous grower. **L-65c, M-40c, S-25c, B-3 for 20c.**

CICERO (Errey, A.) Very reliable in producing excellent spikes opening from 8 to 10 fine large florets, outer portion deep salmon slightly flecked with deep chocolate, center crimson. **L-75c.**

CORANGAMITE (Errey, A.) This variety has not received the share of praise due it. This season in our planting at A Century of Progress the immense spikes bloomed in 69 days from planting. Ten or more large flowers open at once on tall straight spike. Color is a bright salmon rose with faint buff and yellow shades in the throat. As an exhibition variety it will be very fine and as a commercial we predict a very great future for it as every spike will be salable, substance and color excellent for all types of work, produces many bulblets that germinate 90%. **L-50c, M-30c, B-10 for 50c.**

D. A. HAY (Whiteley, N. Z.) This is the choicest pink we raise and is the finest of Miss Whiteley's originations to date, the color is a pleasing shade of pink with a cream white throat. Up to 10 large wide open flowers open on a tall straight spike. Champion bloom at several shows in N. Z. and will win its share in the U. S. **L-\$3.00, M-\$2.00.**

DO X (Pf.) Color, amber yellow with two lobe petals sulphur to almost gold. The flowers are of good substance, fine form and are excellently placed on long, strong spike. A mid-season variety of strong healthy growth, a fine large yellow. **L-\$3.50, M-\$2.00.**

DR. BUCHAN (Mair S.) This is a new combination of colors, the three outer petals are scarlet while the three inner petals have a distinct violet shade, together with a white center makes a fine color combination. **L-\$1.50.**

DR. GLADYS MONTGOMERY (Whiteley, N. Z.) We would class this variety as a deep lavender being the same shade as King Arthur. This variety however is a healthy grower and has more open, taller spike and fully as well ruffled with the florets set up close to the spike without crowding. **L-\$1.50.**

ESME DESAILLY (Errey A.) Large round flowers of excellent substance of an attractive salmon pink, the lower petals cream with carmine lines. Tall straight spike with many open and is invaluable as an exhibition variety and commercial flower. **L-2 for 20c, M-4 for 20c, B-20 for 20c.**

ETURIA (Errey, A.) Tall growing mauve variety producing excellent spike, carrying up to 12 well open flowers in perfect formation and substance, violet blotch brightens up the whole flower. **L-\$1.00.**

FALTER (Gaetz, G.) A new creamy white that resembles Maid of Orleans but is ruffled, as early and as fine a grower and more prolific. Fine for exhibition and commercial. **L-\$2.00, S-\$1.00, B-20c.**

GATE OF HEAVEN (Pf. G.) The richest yellow from this well known originator. The florets of this deep yellow are large and well spaced and beautifully ruffled, strong grower and a very good propagator. **L-40c, M-30c, B-6 for 25c.**

GLORIA MONDI (Pf. G.) This Prim Grand is being placed in this section on its color alone, being one of our deepest yellows, it will not come up to exhibition in placement but a fine early commercial that is quite prolific and fine for hybridizing. **L-50c, M-40c, S-25c, B-5 for 25c.**

HUNSTMAN (Symons, A.) Exhibition scarlet with light throat, fair size, placement good on long spike. **L-\$1.00, M-80c, S-40c, B-2 for 20c.**

HYACINTH (Gilrey, A.) Clear shell pink touched with undertone of mauve, lemon lip, flowers very large, substance could be improved. **L-50c, M-40c, S-25c, B-5 for 20c.**

IRENE (Mair, S.) Here is one of Mair's varieties that is coming to the front as growers get acquainted with it. Color is salmon rose sometimes flecked with old rose but usually giving beautiful clear pink. Tall straight spike, 8 to 10 large rounded flowers open and is becoming strong contender for first place in many popularity contests at different shows. **L-20c, M-2 for 25c, S-3 for 20c, B-10 for 20c.**

IRIS PHILLIPS (Ph.) Very beautiful lavender slightly flecked at outer edge of petals, faint purple feather, up to 10 open, perfectly placed on tall straight exhibition spike, F. C. C. Ballarat. **L-\$1.00, M-75c.**

JAN VAN WERTH (Greatz, G.) Fine exhibition late midseason lavender that is different. Medium tall spike with ten open, substance excellent and does not fleck or fade, very prolific and fine healthy grower. **L-30c, M-20c, S-2 for 20c, B-15 for 30c.**

JOHN HILL (Mair, S.) Another sensational Scotch variety, brick red flecked deeper at edge of petals with large cream blotch, tall straight spike with many open. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-4 for 20c.**

JOHN RAMSEY (Mair, S.) Deep salmon rose flecked deeper. Ideal exhibition variety and rapidly coming into big demand as such. This will show color on all 20 to 24 buds at once and often before the first of the 10 to 12 that will open at one time, good healthy grower and prolific. **L-40c, M-20c, S-2 for 25c, B-10 for 20c.**

JOHN S. BACH (Pf. G.) Salmon orange with white mid rib, excellent early exhibition variety. **L-\$1.50.**

JOHANN STRAUSS (Pf, G.) Color salmon pink to peach red with a harmonizing creamy Neapolitan yellow throat. The wing petals of the flowers are very broad and of heavy substance. A strong healthy, exhibition variety. **L-\$3.50, M-\$2.50, B-40c.**

LADY ALICE FERGUSON (Wiltshire, N. Z.) A new bright orange scarlet with white blotch, 8 to 10 flowers open on tall spike, is ideal for exhibition. **L-\$1.00, M-60c, S-30c, B-10 for 80c.**

LA VICTORIA (Roozan, Degroot, G.) Purest blood red self, massive flowers that open flat, immense size and fine substance, rugged grower. **L-\$1.00, M-60c.**

LISBETH (Errey, A.) Champion from Australia, light pink flecked with salmon, orange buff throat with crimson. 10 open on straight sturdy spike. **L-75c, M-50c, S-25c, B-4 for 25c.**

MARIE (Mair, S.) New light pink with yellow throat, quite regular in giving fine exhibition spikes. Color is very pleasing, growth and substance fine. Will become popular when better known. **L-75c, M-50c, S-25c, B-4 for 20c.**

MAY DAVIDSON (J. J. Brown, A.) Appears to be a glorified Emile Aubrun, color pink with grey giving more life to this variety. **L-\$1.00, B-10 for 75c.**

MORANGO (Errey, A.) Grand Exhibition variety from late releases of Errey Bros. Will open ten or more large flowers on tall straight spike. Bright salmon with yellow and scarlet lined center. Quite prolific, late midseason. **L-\$1.00, M-75c, S-50c, B-3 for 25c.**

NELLIE HEWITSON (Whiteley, N. Z.) Large ruffled rounded flowers and tall straight spike, 7 to 9 open, creamy base, blushed deep pink outer portion, huge orange red blotch edged yellow. Substance fine, early and prolific, very showy. **L-\$1.00, M-60c, S-30c, B-10 for 75c.**

NERISSA (Errey, A.) Salmon shaded with greyish lavender, small orange markings on lip, 10 to 12 open. **L-2 for 30c, M-3 for 30c, S-4 for 30c, B-15 for 20c.**

NOEL REEVE (Phillips, Aus.) One of the fine ones from Australia. Long straight spike with medium sized florets, delicate rose with deeper pencilling, cream throat and opens 10 to 12 at once. **L-90c, M-60c, S-30c, B-3 for 25c.**

QUEEN MARY (Mair, S.) As a flower to bloom outside in the garden many will not be impressed with the color of this variety as it is quite variable in coloring outside under different weather and soil conditions. If groomed properly for exhibition work, cut early and opened inside the color is all one could wish

usually and Queen Mary when well grown from large bulbs always is a strong contender for champion spike throughout the shows when the exhibition types are recognized. A spike with 10 well opened creamy white flowers with six or more showing color several more in the green stage makes a wonderful well balanced spike. Large only, 25c each.

RAHIRI (Doney, N. Z.) This is a real orange with slight white in center and carmine feather, fine color but needs to be opened inside or in shade, tall and large. **L-75c, M-50c, S-25c, B-4 for 25c.**

RED LORY (Errey, A.) Distinctive orange scarlet with bright orange at edge of petals, lower portion bright purplish carmine edged with orange, 10 to 12 blooms open and fine for exhibition. **L-2 for 30c, M-4 for 30c, S-6 for 30c, B-20 for 20c.**

RITA PHILLIPS (Phillips, A.) Tall erect spike carrying 10 to 12 wide open florets of apricot salmon with deep orange feather. A of M Ballarat. **L-50c, M-35c, S-25c, B-4 for 25c.**

SALMON EMPEROR (DeGroot, G.) Lighter orange salmon than Orange Princess with darker velvety blotch, 7 to 8 open on fine straight spike, flowers flat wide open type and is strongly ruffled and of heavy substance that stands handling the best of any commercial flower we know. **L-40c, M-20c, S-10c, B-15 for 20c.**

SOUTHERN CROSS (Whiteley, N. Z.) Increasing stock.

ST. NICHOLAS (Mair, S.) New lilac rose shaded with white center, massive spike with 8 to 10 large flowers open. **L-40c, M-25c, S-2 for 25c, B-10 for 20c.**

SUNNYSIDE (Symons, A.) One of the big winners in Australia, of the Rattray type. Has been hard to become acclimated in this country but is doing better each year. Outer portion deep cerese pink and pure white to the center. 10 to 12 open and tall straight spike. **L-\$1.00, M-75c, S-50c, B-2 for 30c.**

SUSSEX (Errey, A.) Increasing stock.

TAINUI (Julyan, N. Z.) Another well recognized variety of championship caliber from down under. The ground color is greenish yellow, overlaid orange scarlet with conspicuous blotch of dark red. Champion bloom at Christchurch 1933. **L-\$2.50, M-\$1.50, B-25c.**

TAWHAKI (Doney, N. Z.) One of the brightest we have but needs some care in blooming outside due to its color, salmon orange blotch, good healthy grower. **L-\$1.50, M-\$1.00, S-50c, B-3 for 20c.**

TOM SMALL (Mair, S.) A new exhibition scarlet with white blotch. The best for exhibition in this color as you will get 8 to 10 open on nice tall straight spike. **L-\$1.50.**

GENERAL LIST

AFLAME (H.) A prim grand. Flowers frequently measure six inches across and up to six open. Fine for exhibition. Begonia rose shading to a bright orange flame at edge of petals. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 30c.**

A. H. WOODFUL (E.) Pale mauve from Australia that produces exhibition spikes consistently although a rather moody grower. Violet blotched edge with central cream lines, ten flowers open of fine form and substance, excellent placement. **L-35c, M-20c.**

AIDA (Pf.) Rich dark violet blue, lower petals have two small lilac red blotches, Exhibition type, good propagator and early. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 30c, S-25 for 30c, B-100 for 25c.**

ALBATROSS (Pf.) Large pure white blooms on tall spike, many times winner, good propagator and one of the best whites. **L-10 for 70c, M-10 for 40c, S-10 for 25c, B-100 for 30c.**

ALIGHT (H.) Pink sport of Aflame, beautiful pink with white throat, this should be in better demand with Aflame. **L-\$2.00, M-\$1.50, S-\$1.00.**

AMETHYST (S.) Large flowers of regular exhibition form, straight spike of a distinct shade of lilac rose with deeper rose bordering, white center line on each petal, constant winner in its class. **L-12 for \$1.50, M-12 for \$1.00.**

AORANGE (Do.) Another white from down under that the grower recommends very highly. **L-50c, M-35c, S-25c, B-6 for 25c.**

APACHE (Do.) Orange red with white feather, smoky at edges, very good. **L-50c, M-30c.**

APRICOT (M) Good show spike of shrimp pink. Many open and a favorite. **L-12 for \$1.50, M-12 for \$1.00.**

AYSHIRE (M.) Rose lilac blooms with white blotch, perfectly placed on typical Mairs spike, 20 buds and up to 10 open. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c.**

BARBARA PHILLIPS (Gil.) Massive spike of sepia grey and fawn slate, hard to describe, a novelty that is in good demand, up to 8 large flowers on straight spike. **L-60c, M-40c, S-25c, B-5 for 25c.**

BEAU BROCADE (Kel.) Large deep mauve, long spike and good propagator. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-4 for 20c, B-20 for 25c.**

BENTLEIGH (Gil.) A new cream for Australia, well built tall spike with plenty flowers wide open at once. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 20c, S-5 for 20c, B-20 for 20c.**

BERTY MAIR (M.) Lighter in color than Berty Snow, slightly ruffled and seems to be an improvement on that variety. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 25c, S-6 for 25c, B-100 for 60c.**

BERTY SNOW (M.) Medium to deep mauve pink, one of the best ten without a doubt. Frequently has 10-12 immense soft lilac blooms open at once, one that is hard to beat at any time. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 30c, S-12 for 20c.**

BETTY (M.) Bright orange rose with white center, large spike with 6 open. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-4 for 20c, B-25 for 25c.**

BILL SOWDEN (F.) One of the best reds to come from down under although spike is not overly tall the flowers are large and color is a different red than ours here. Many times winner and rated near the top in Australia. **L-12 for \$1.00, M-12 for 75c, S-12 for 40c, B-100 for 75c.**

BLONDE (Gil.) Choice apricot shaded peach and cream, outstanding in decorative and commercial classes and very potent pollen plant in hybridizing. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 40c, S-12 for 20c, B-100 for 20c.**

BLUE DANUBE (Pf.) A fine pure amethyst blue with deeper blotch, 6 to 8 open and arrangement is very good. **L-12 for \$1.25, M-12 for 75c, S-12 for 40c, B-100 for 40c.**

CAMLOT (E.) Clear deep salmon pink with edges of petals occasionally flecked with orange, crimson blotch, powdered cream at edges and the large well placed flowers make up an excellent exhibition variety. **L-12 for \$2.00, M-12 for \$1.00, S-12 for 50c, B-100 for 80c.**

CANBERRA (E.) Beautiful pure yellow self and produces fine spikes of large waved flowers, 8 or more open and is easily the finest large yellow glad we grow or have seen. A very vigorous and healthy grower. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 20c.**

CARMINEA (M.) One of Mairs that is different in color being a Tyrian rose base, heavily blushed carmine, white blotch overlaid with carmine. **L-25c, M-2 for 25c, S-3 for 20c, B-100 for 75c.**

CARRARA (DeG.) Prim grand, pure white with large open flowers, 6 to 7 open, well arranged on tall slender spike, A. of M. Haarlem 1931. **L-12 for \$1.00, M-12 for 50c, S-12 for 20c, B-100 for 50c.**

CECIL (M.) Clear salmon scarlet with lemon blotch, many open. **L-12 for \$1.50, M-12 for \$1.00.**

CHARLES DICKENS (Pf.) Bright radiant purple with velvety blotch, tall strong spike with 7-8 open. Placement is perfect. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 30c.**

to 6 foot spike. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 25c, S-4 for 25c, B-20 for 20c.**

MAHOGANY (M.) Mahogany red with lighter throat and lighter lines, many large flowers open on tall spike, up to Mair's standard, early and prolific. **L-50c, M-40c, S-30c, B-10c.**

MAID OF ORLEANS (Pf.) This is one of the most pleasing whites we raise, color is soft white with creamy throat, this has a fine future as a commercial white besides being a good exhibition variety, early and very prolific, up to 8 large flowers open on tall spike. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 25c.**

MARGARET FULTON (O.) Coral pink shaded to a slightly lighter throat, very large flower and spike. **L-12 for \$2.00, M-12 for 60c.**

MARMORA (E.) This has created a sensation wherever shown, is a silvery lavender with a petunia colored blotch. The blooms are large and perfectly placed on a splendid spike showing up to 14 flowers open at one time. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 25c.**

MAROILAND (W.) Fine smoky, base old rose running deeper at edge, striped steel blue. 6 to 8 large flowers open, very deep old rose on lower petals accompanied with cream blotch. **L-25c, M-2 for 25c, S-4 for 20c, B-10 for 20c.**

MARY ELIZABETH (Dr. H. W. Stevens) Won every possible award in its color class at both Hartford and Boston Shows this past season, excellent as an exhibition and a commercial variety. Big winner in cream class with its heavy texture. Its blooms stand up for days and stems always straight, extra strong grower and increases well. The color being white with decided yellow throat, is better than pure white for florists work. The flowers are nicely ruffled about 4 1/2 inches in diameter and comes into bloom in late mid-season. Because this is a new origination and price is reasonable don't pass this one up as we think it the best of its color of the U. S. originations to date. **L-12 for \$3.00, M-12 for \$2.25, S-12 for \$1.50, B-100 for \$1.50.**

MAUVE X (Gil.) Just a shade lighter than Mrs. F. C. Peters and minus the cream edge on its crimson blotch, flower larger and 8 to 10 open on straight spike. Much earlier than Mrs. Peters. **L-2 for 20c, M-3 for 20c, S-5 for 20c, B-100 for 75c.**

MELISSA (E.) Beautiful yellow buff with pink flecking on edge of petals, perfect placement and about 10 open. **L-25c, M-20c.**

MERLE MORRIS (Gil.) Large light pink, throat is cream pencilled with violet making up a very delicate color combination. 8 to 10 well placed flowers open at once on tall robust spike, fine for exhibition. **L-25c, M-2 for 25c, S-3 for 20c, B-10 for 25c.**

MILDRED LOUISE (Wentworth) Prevailing color is strawberry pink, fading into soft yellow throat, and this is one variety that seems to increase in beauty after cutting. The general color effect is a little darker than Picardy. Stems are strong and flexible and always straight and the triangular shaped florets open wide, measuring 5 1/2 inches or more, 18 to 20 buds on spike and with no crowding, substance very good and very desirable as a shipping variety. Blooms in less than 80 days and very fine propagator. **L-35c, M-25c, S-15c, B-100 for \$4.00, L-12 for \$3.00, M-12 for \$2.25, S-12 for \$1.50.**

MINUET (C.) One of the three best light mauve pinks, it has size, good substance and real vigor. **L-12 for 50c.**

MIRANDA (E.) Ground color is salmon pink, flaked on edge with deep salmon and lavender markings, clear yellow blotch powdered with salmon scarlet. Up to 10 open. **L-40c, M-30c, S-20c, B-10 for 30c.**

MOANA-NUI (Do.) This is a seedling of Mrs. Dr. Norton inheriting the beautiful shades of cream and pink of its parents, tall grower, large florets, broad overlapping petals, splendidly formed. 8 open as a rule and placement ideal. Stands the hot sun without flecking. **L-75c, M-50c, S-30c.**

MORRISH KING (Pf.) Very dark, mahogany-maroon color, 5 to 6 large flowers open on tall spike. **L-50c, M-35c.**

MOTHER MACHREE (Dr. Stevens) Unusual smoky being a combination of champagne, greyish lavender with touch of old rose, placement very good on tall spike. **L-12 for 80c, M-12 for 50c, S-12 for 30c, B-100 for 25c.**

MR. CUTHBERTSON (M.) Ruffled variety of superior quality, color is cherry red with center almost white, without markings. **L-2 for 20c, M-3 for 20c, S-5 for 20c, B-100 for 50c.**

MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE (K.) Deep salmon pink, lower petals soft creamy yellow, bordered same shade pink as upper petals. Edge of all petals have very slight white lines completing a very delicate color combination. **L-12 for 50c, M.12 for 25c.**

MRS. F. E. BENNETT (Boynton) Tall pure white with fine purple blotch. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 25c.**

MRS. FINNIE (M.) Choice one from Scotland. Pure salmon rose, many open on tall spike **L-50c, M-30c.**

MRS. G. T. MALTHOUSE (M.) Very outstanding color combination, base soft medium mauve, feathered red and white. **L-40c, M-25c.**

MRS. RATTRAY (R.) Another champion down under, does best here from large bulbs. Color bright rose shaded to lighter center, has been shown with 9 open. **L-30c, M-20c.**

MRS. S. A. ERREY (E.) This variety has immense wide open flowers and good substance, color is a bright orange with orange crimson blotch. Tall spike with 12 to 16 open. **L.12 for 50c, M-12 for 25c.**

MRS. WHITELEY (W.) Large intensely ruffled flowers of excellent substance on tall spike with many open. Color is pure white and faint lavender feather in throat, one of Miss Whiteley's best seedlings. **L-75c, M-50c.**

NAOMI (E.) Waved flowers of clear salmon pink, powdered crimson center touched with cream. Tall and strong grower. **L-75c, M-50c, S-25c, B-10 for 60c.**

NELLIE (M.) One of Mair's choice varieties, makes a fine spike, color is dainty rose with red blotch. **L-2 for 25c, M-4 for 25c, S-6 for 25c.**

NEWINGTON (Webb, Aust.) Cream flushed pink on edges, yellow blotch with deep pink pencillings, tall spike, a little narrower than average. **No L-, M-20c, S-2 for 20c, B-15 for 25c.**

NYMPHAS (E.) Clear golden center shading to clear apricot salmon at edge, very outstanding prim. **No L-, No M-, S-10 for 60c.**

ORANGE PRINCESS (DeG.) Purest salmon orange, slightly lighter in throat, small crimson feather deep in lower petals, wide open flowers of wonderful form and perfectly arranged, slightly ruffled. A. of M. Haarlem. One of the finest orange colored flowers, fine cut flower and exhibition variety. **L-40c, M-30c, S-20c, B-15 for 25c.**

ORANGE QUEEN (Pf.) A tall orange yellow prim grand. **L-12 for 50c.**

ORBY (Kel.) Bright crimson, suffused and flaked deeper, shading to lighter at edge of petals. This variety is old but deserves new consideration. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 25c, S-4 for 25c, B-10 for 15c.**

ORLANDO (E.) Massive spike of 10 large flowers open, color is rosy salmon, center slightly marked crimson and yellow. Fine for exhibition. **L-25c, M-2 for 25c, S-4 for 25c, B-30 for 20c.**

OUR SELECTION (E.) Very much in demand. Color is salmon red, flecked with a deeper shade and usually marked on outer portion of petals with slate, a cerise, cream colored blotch. Extra large flowers which are arranged on long sturdy spike, many open. **No L, M-8 for 20c.**

PEACHBLOSSOM (M.) Immense spike of peach pink, large flower on tall spike. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-4 for 20c, B-10 for 20c.**

PEERLESS PINK (DeG.) Deep salmon pink self color, large rounded flowers. **L-30c, M-20c.**

PELEGIRINA (Pf.) Pure deep violet blue of fine merit, all buds show color, many open. **L-2 for 30c, M-4 for 30c, S-6 for 30c, B-20 for 20c.**

PFITZERS YELLOW WONDER (Pf.) Soft yellow marked deeper in throat, straight spike, many open. **L-20c, M-2 for 25c.**

PICARDY (P.) A Canadian variety that stands well toward the top, tall strong spike that carries 6 to 8 large flowers of a clear light salmon bordering to apricot in color. **L-3 for 20c, M-6 for 20c, S-10 for 20c, B-100 for 25c.**

PIMPERNEL (M.) One of the best scarlets and we can highly

recommended this variety. Early, clear scarlet, white lines in throat. **L-30c, M-20c, S-2 for 20c, B-10 for 25c.**

PINK PEARL (Gil.) A tall large pink from Australia, of a very fine color, one of the tallest. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-3 for 20c, B-100 for 20c.**

PIRATE (P.) Effective blending of shades of carmine and rosy purple giving a dark rosy red effect. Tall straight spike with 6 to 8 large flowers open. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-3 for 20c, B-15 for 25c.**

PURPLE VICTORY (Gil.) Larger flower than Purple Glory and more open at one time and a truer color, well arranged on erect spike. **L-35c, M-25c, S-2 for 25c, B-10 for 40c.**

QUALITY (M.) Ideal Mair spike of a salmon rose color with many large flowers open at once. Very healthy grower. **L-20c, M-30c, S-2 for 20c, B-10 for 20c.**

RED ADMIRAL (DeG.) Clear scarlet with deep blotch, was awarded best red in England, early and prolific. This will be an ideal commercial variety. **L-40c, M-30c, S-20c.**

RED GAUNTLET (M.) Very bright scarlet with white throat, tall spike with 8 to 10 fine flowers open at once, early. **L-50c.**

ROB ROY (M.) Large blooms on spike that sometimes crooks, color is crimson, flaked scarlet, white blotch. **L-2 for 20c, M-3 for 20c, S-4 for 20c, B-20 for 20c.**

SALBACH'S ORCHID (Sal.) Similar to Minute in color but more pink, larger and more open, up to eight at one time. Heavy substance and fine placement **L-12 for \$1.25.**

SCHWABEN GIRL (Pf.) Pure pink without any other color or blotch, it has large closely formed spike with 8 to 10 large flowers open at once, early to bloom. **L-12 for \$1.50, M-12 for \$1.00, S-12 for 70c, B-25 for 15c.**

SHEEN (M.) Another fine one from Scotland having a yellow ground flecked with rose. Is quite outstanding. **L-50c, M-30c.**

SILVERSHEEN (S.) A glowing salmon pink with white tongue feathered wine red. Whole flower overlaid with silvery sheen, tall spike, 6 to 8 open. **L-50c, M-30c, S-20c, B-10 for 50c.**

SIR CHARLES FERGUSON (Martin, N. Z.) A clear salmon pink with cream line in throat, tall strong and of splendid exhibition type. Blooms from bulblets. **L-12 for 80c, M-12 for 60c, S-12 for 40c, B-25 for 15c.**

ST. BRUNO (M.) Brownish salmon, distinctive blue edging giving smoky orange effect, tall spike. **L-50c, M-35c.**

ST. CUTHBERT (M.) A dark red with light center, tall fine smoky with many open. Excellent for exhibition or cut flower. **L-30c, M-20c, S-2 for 20c, B-20 for 25c.**

STUTTSGARDIA (Pf.) A very large brilliant orange scarlet color, no blotch, blooms five inches across, 5-6 open at once. **L-10 for 50c.**

SUNSET (M.) Tall spike with many flowers of an orange apricot and is an excellent all purpose Gladiolus. **L-10 for 50c, M-10 for 30c.**

THEODORA (Gil.) Large spike of perfectly placed flowers, salmon rose. **L-25c, M-2 for 25c, S-3 for 25c, B-10 for 25c.**

TIP TOP (Pf.) Color is a warm red or scarlet, very tall growing novelty carrying 7 to 8 wide open flowers of the Pfitzer type, very tall spike of 18 to 20 buds. **L-\$1.50, M-\$1.00.**

TRUDEL GROTTZ (Pf.) Salmon pink with brownish red blotch, has enormous well formed blooms of good substance, is in a class with Pfitzers Triumph. **L-12 for 50c, M-12 for 25c.**

TUTANEKI (Do.) When grown well this variety produces a monstrous spike of large well placed flowers, color is bitter-sweet orange base, flecked russet brown, center ornamented with a motting of cream and purple. **L-25c, M-2 for 30c, S-3 for 30c, B-10 for 25c.**

VICTOR (E.) Large flowers on a tall spike with about six open, color is brilliant scarlet and distinct white blotch, very clear cut colors. **L-12 for 60c, M-12 for 30c, S-12 for 20c, B-100 for 25c.**

VIOLET (M.) Lilac violet with white blotch, A. of M. B. G. S. Tall spike many open. **L-2 for 25c, M. 3 for 20c.**

WILTON (Gil.) A remarkable exhibition variety, color is salmon orange with soft cream lip, about 8 large flowers open on long spike. **L-30c, M-20c, S-2 for 20c, B-10 for 25c.**

WODEN (Pf.) One of Pfitzer's deepest violets or blue, we are not so sure but what we like this better than Pelegrina in appearance and general growth although quite shy on bulblet production. **L-30c, M-20c.**

WOLFGANG VON GOETHE (Pf.) A very large flowering P. G. of salmon red raspberry coloring on tall spike, early to bloom, 8 to 10, open. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-3 for 20c, B-10 for 20c.**

WURTEMBERGIA (Pf.) a very large scarlet with creamy white throat, very strong grower and quite similar to Errey's Victor only blotch is cream instead of white. Not quite up to exhibition standard as spike is a little shy in length. **L-2 for 25c, M-3 for 20c, S-5 for 25c, B-40 for 20c.**

ZEPHIA (Gil.) Large lavender pink to creamy white lemon and violet throat markings, opens up to 8 flowers at one time. **L-20c, M-2 for 20c, S-3 for 20c.**

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